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### Biography:

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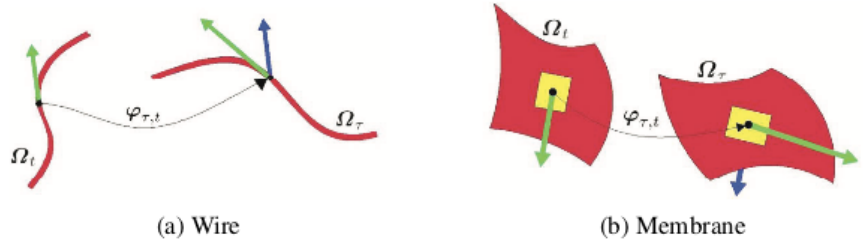


Figure 2: Lower dimensionality: wire and membrane in motion.

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